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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 7, 2008, entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks are respectfully requested. Applicants petition to extend the time period for response by three months, and include the required fee. If any other fee required to consider this response is missing or deficient, Applicants authorize the fee (or any deficiency therein) to be charged to Deposit Account 14-1140 under Order No. 4061-32.

The **claims** are presented on pages 2-3.

Claims 6, 25 and 30 are amended.

Claims 7-11, 26-28 and 31-33 are canceled without prejudice or disclaimer.

Remarks begin on page 4.